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Approved for use through 7/31/2006, OM6 0951-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE to respond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid QMB control number. Docket Number (Optional) PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 21581-00255-US **Application Number** 09/786,325-Conf. #8453 Filed June 11, 2001 POLYMER, PROCESSES FOR PRODUCING POLYMER AND COMPOSITION Art Unit 1713 Examiner B. Lipman This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): Small Entity Fee Fee One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$110.00 \$55.00 110.00 S Two months (37 CFR 1,17(a)(2)) \$420.00 \$210.00 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$950.00 \$475.00 \$ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1,480.00 \$740.00 \$ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2,010.00 \$ \$1,005.00 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 22-0185 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/Inventor, assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71, Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a). Registration from the facting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 24,852 August 23, 2004 Signature Date Burton A. Amernick (202) 331-7111 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(e) are required. Submit multiple forms if more lhan one signature la required, see below

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